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FM AMEMBASSY KUALA LUMPUR

TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 5985

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ETRD, MY

SUBJECT: GSP: PRELIMINARY NOTIFICATION OF PROBABLE COMPETITIVE  
NEED CHANGES ON MARCH 1

REF: STATE 010679

1. GOM HAS NOTIFIED EMBASSY THAT, ACCORDING TO MALAYSIAN STATISTICS, NO EXPORT OF ELECTRICAL LUMINESCENT LAMPS (TSUS 687.30--SITC 7292080) FROM MALAYSIA TOOK PLACE IN 1975. EMBASSY HAS CONFIRMED THIS BY ITS OWN REVIEW OF MALAYSIA'S 1975 TRADE STATISTICS. IN ADDITION WE CAN FIND NO STATISTICAL EVIDENCE OF ANY MALAYSIAN EXPORTS OF THIS ITEM DURING FIRST TEN MONTHS OF 1976. GOM HAS NOT REPEAT NOT RAISED SIMILAR QUESTION WITH RESPECT TO OTHER ITEM LISTED IN REFTEL, PALM KERNEL OIL EDIBLE (TSUS 176.33).

2. EMBASSY ALSO CHECKED WITH GOM OFFICIALS DEALING WITH LAMP INDUSTRY AND WERE INFORMED THAT NO ELECTRICAL LUMINESCENT LAPMS ARE EXPORTED BY MALAYSIA. INDUSTRY SOURCES PROVIDED SAME INFORMATION.

3. ACTION REQUESTED: PLEASE REVIEW U.S. IMPORT FIGURES WITH U.S. CUSTOMS TO VERIFY WHETHER OR NOT MALAYSIA ACTURALLY EXPORTED ELECTRICAL LUMINESCENT LAMPS TO U.S. AND NOTIFY EMBASSY OF FINDINGS SO THAT WE MAY RESPOND TO GOM INQUIRY. DILLON  
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